

## 2000 Regular Session

Issue	Bill Number & Sponsor	Summary	Status
TRS	HB203 Hawk	Provides a four percent cost-of-living adjustment (COLA) for each person who was receiving a retirement allowance from the Teachers' Retirement System of Alabama and who was retired prior to October 1, 2000. Has been sent to the Governor for his signature.	Act 2000-741
Education Trust Fund	HB204 Hawk	Establishes and appropriates up to 41.15 percent of the growth in the Education Trust Fund for public school teacher salaries each year until the national pay average is attained. Has been sent to the Governor for his signature.	Act 2000-732
TRS	HB399 Schmitz	A retiree may, under certain circumstances, name a replacement beneficiary in cases of death or divorce. Also, as pertaining to TRS, this Act allows a death benefit to be paid if the member dies within 90 days of "active pay status" effective retroactively to October 1, 1995.	Act 2000-454
TRS	HB497 Morrison	Teachers' Retirement System, prior service credit, purchase authorizes for time spent on maternity leave.	Act 2000-452
ERS, TRS	SB267 Poole	Provides Employees' Retirement System or Teachers' Retirement System, state paid and municipal firefighters,	Act 2000-669

		certain law enforcement officers, and correctional officers with hazardous duty time. Has been sent to the Governor for his signature.	
ERS	SB380 Mitchem	Provides for a four percent cost-of-living increase to certain retirees and beneficiaries of the Employees' Retirement System. Has been sent to the Governor for his signature.	Act 2000-809